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October 27, 2008

MISC. ORDER 2008-013

BY THE COURT:

Associate Justice Rodney Davis is appointed to serve as Acting Presiding Justice to discharge the duties described in the California Rules of Court, rules 10.1004, 10.1012, and 10.1016, during the absence of the Presiding Justice from the court on October 29, 2008, and October 30, 2008. Associate Justice Coleman A. Blease is appointed to serve as Acting Presiding Justice to discharge the duties described in the California Rules of Court, rules 10.1004, 10.1012, and 10.1016, during the absence of the Presiding Justice from the court on October 31, 2008, or until his return. (See Cal. Const., art. VI, §3.) The senior member of a panel of the Court is designated the Acting Presiding Justice of that panel during the absence of the Presiding Justice.

SCOTLAND, P.J.

At 9:30 a.m., the court met in the Library and Courts Building to begin its court calendar session. Present were Scotland, Presiding Justice; Sims, Associate Justice; Raye, Associate Justice; and Harper, bailiff.

C057199 HUHTAMAKI AMERICAS INC., et al. v. WORKERS' COMPENSATION APPEALS BOARD and MADHAW

Cause called. Jane Woodcock argued for appellant. Thomas L. Plumb argued for respondent. Cause submitted.

At 10:01 a.m., the court recessed. At 10:05 a.m., the court reconvened with Sims, Associate Justice; Raye, Associate Justice; and Hull, Associate Justice.

C055486 THE PEOPLE v. MICHAEL ROBERT GENOVESE

Cause called. Patricia J. Ulibarri, court appointed counsel, argued for appellant. Wanda Hill Rouzan, Deputy Attorney General, argued for respondent. Cause submitted.

At 10:31 a.m., the court recessed. At 10:36 a.m., the court reconvened with Blease, Associate Justice; Morrison, Associate Justice; and Hull, Associate Justice.

C054261 SHULL v. SHAW

Cause called. Ben Rosenfeld argued for appellant. John M. Feser, Jr., Deputy Attorney General, argued for respondent. Cause submitted.

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At 10:59 a.m., the court recessed. At 11:03 a.m., the court reconvened with Blease, Associate Justice; Nicholson, Associate Justice; and Cantil-Sakauye, Associate Justice.

C056740 TOPOL v. SAFEWAY STORES, INC. et al.

Cause called. Louis A. Basile argued for appellant. Peter M. Ruhon argued for respondent. Cause submitted.

At 11:27 a.m., the court recessed. At 11:31 a.m., the court reconvened with Sims, Associate Justice; Nicholson, Associate Justice; and Cantil-Sakauye, Associate Justice.

C054868 MISSION HOSPITAL REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER et al. v. SHEWRY; KAISER FOUNDATION HOSPITALS et al. v. SHEWRY

Cause called. Byron J. Gross argued for appellants. Anthony V. Seferian, Deputy Attorney General, argued for respondent. Cause submitted.

At 12:10 p.m., the court recessed. At 2:05 p.m., the court reconvened with Davis, Associate Justice; Raye, Associate Justice; and Butz, Associate Justice.

C056658 ROLAND et al. v. COVENANT CARE OF CALIFORNIA, INC.

Cause called. Don Willenburg argued for and John L. Supple appeared only for appellant. David L. Ditora argued for respondent. Cause submitted.

At 2:47 p.m., the court recessed until 9:30 a.m., Monday, November 17, 2008.

C055338 THE PEOPLE v. RAUL PADILLA RODRIGUEZ

(Not For Publication)

The judgment is modified... As modified, the judgment is affirmed. The trial court is directed to prepare an amended abstract of judgment and to forward a certified copy to the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation.

BUTZ, J.

We Concur: Scotland, P.J.

Sims, J.

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C057241 THE PEOPLE v.

(Certified For Publication)

TRAVIS WYLIE SWEIG

The trial court's orders granting the suppression motion and dismissing

the case are affirmed.

SCOTLAND, P.J.

We Concur: Nicholson, J.

Raye, J.

C057592 THE PEOPLE v.

(Not For Publication)

FERNANDO MIRANDA CHAVEZ

The judgment is affirmed.

ROBIE, J.

We Concur: Scotland, P.J.

Davis, J.

C057886 THE PEOPLE v.

(Not For Publication)

MICHAEL STEPHEN PETERSON

The order denying defendant's motion to enforce or vacate the plea is

affirmed.

BUTZ, J.

We Concur: Morrison, Acting P.J.

Cantil-Sakauye, J.

C058322 THE PEOPLE v.

(Not For Publication)

JOHN CHRISTOPHER MONTEVERDE

The judgment is affirmed.

BLEASE, J.

We Concur: Scotland, P.J.

Davis, J.

C058507 THE PEOPLE v.

(Not For Publication)

SEDRICK LEE McDONALD

The judgment is affirmed.

DAVIS, J.

We Concur: Scotland, P.J.

Blease, J.

C058564 THE PEOPLE v.

(Not For Publication)

SERGIO G. MARTINEZ, JR.

The judgment is affirmed.

BLEASE, J.

We Concur: Scotland, P.J.

Davis, J.

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C058654 THE PEOPLE v. MANUEL VALENCIA

(Not For Publication)

The judgment is affirmed.

BLEASE, J.

We Concur: Scotland, P.J.

Davis, J.

C056497 ALDERSON v. DUNN

(Not For Publication)

The order is affirmed. Anderson shall recover costs on appeal. (Cal.

Rules of Court, rule 8.278 (a) (2) & (a) (4) .)

CANTIL-SAKAUYE, J.

We Concur: Davis, Acting P.J.

Nicholson, J.

C055346 MILLVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

(Not For Publication)

DISTRICT et al. v. DAVID HALLMAN

CONSTRUCTION et al.

THE COURT:

The opinion of this court filed September 29, 2008, in the above entitled case is modified...

With these modifications, the petition for rehearing filed by Nichols, Melburg & Rosetto, Dan Rosetto, and Kevin Tedder is denied. This modification affects the judgment.

BY THE COURT:

RAYE, Acting P.J.

Robie, J.

Cantil-Sakauye, J.

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C053705 THE PEOPLE v.

(Not For Publication)

MICHAEL GEORGE ROBERTS

The order modifying the verdict is reversed and the matter is remanded to the trial court with directions to reinstate the verdict of conviction on count 2, Health and Safety Code section 11360, subdivision (a), and for further proceedings.

MORRISON, J.

We Concur: Nicholson, Acting P.J.

Rave, J.

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C053815 THE PEOPLE v. (Not For Publication)

TRAVIS LEON THOMSEN

The appeal is dismissed.

BLEASE, Acting P.J.

We Concur: Nicholson, J.

Hull. J.

C056136 THE PEOPLE v. (Not For Publication)

JASON JERMELL JAKE

The judgment is affirmed.

ROBIE, J.

We Concur: Scotland, P.J.

Nicholson, J.

C056415 THE PEOPLE v. WESLEY PHILLIPS (Not For Publication)

The judgment is affirmed.

BUTZ, J.

We Concur: Blease, Acting P.J.

Hull. J.

C057938 THE PEOPLE v. (Not For Publication)

ROLLINER WEATHERSPOON

The judgment is affirmed.

SCOTLAND, P.J.

We Concur: Blease, J.

Butz, J.

C055305 GATES et al. v. ARREDONDO et al.; (Not For Publication)

CHANDLER et al. v. GATES et al.

The judgment is modified to vacate the award of damages. Alternatively, the neighbors may file an amended complaint and/or cross-complaint to allege a specific amount of damages. If an amended complaint and/or cross-complaint is filed, the default judgment will be vacated, the default set aside, and appellants will be permitted to file a responsive pleading. The judgment is affirmed in all other respects. The neighbors are awarded costs on appeal.

RAYE, Acting P.J.

Hull, J. We Concur:

Butz, J.

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C056214 TOWER v. SHELL

(Not For Publication)

BY THE COURT:

The order is affirmed. Tower shall recover his costs on appeal. (Cal.

Rules of Court, rule 8.278 (a).)

BY THE COURT:

SIMS, Acting P.J.

Davis, J. Nicholson, J.

C056783 THE PEOPLE v. STEVEN MICHAEL SPLAWN

BY THE COURT:

Appellant's petition for rehearing is denied.

RAYE, Acting P.J.

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C054318 THE PEOPLE v.

(Not For Publication)

KENNETH LEQUIEZ HAWKINS

The judgment is affirmed.

HULL, J.

We Concur: Davis, Acting P.J.

Nicholson, J.

C055250 THE PEOPLE v. BRANDON JOHNSTON

(Not For Publication)

The sentence imposed on the second degree robbery conviction (count two) is vacated and the matter remanded for resentencing on that offense. Following resentencing, the trial court shall prepare an amended abstract of judgment that also reflects under item 1 a violation of section "187 (a) /190.2 (a) (17) (A)" for count one and a date of conviction for count two of "02/01/2007." A certified copy of the amended abstract shall be forwarded to the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation. In all other respects the judgment is affirmed.

BUTZ. J.

We Concur: Morrison, Acting P.J.

Cantil-Sakauye, J.

C056037 THE PEOPLE v. RAYMOND ESPINOZA

(Not For Publication)

The judgment is affirmed.

BLEASE, J.

We Concur: Scotland, P.J.

Butz. J.

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C057444 THE PEOPLE v. (Certified For Partial Publication)

WILLIAM ROBERT NEWBY

The judgment is affirmed.

HULL, J.

We Concur: Sims, Acting P.J.

Davis. J.

C057483 THE PEOPLE v. (Not For Publication)

RICKY EDWARD KING

The judgment is affirmed.

CANTIL-SAKAUYE, J. We Concur: Morrison, Acting P.J.

Robie, J.

C057499 In re K.R.; SACRAMENTO COUNTY (Not For Publication)

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND

HUMAN SERVICES v. T.W.

The judgment of disposition is affirmed.

SIMS. J.

We Concur: Scotland, P.J.

Butz, J.

C056197 In re NEHEMIAH R.; SACRAMENTO COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

AND HUMAN SERVICES v. DANIELLE R. et al.

BY THE COURT:

Appellant Racherl R.'s petition for rehearing is denied.

SIMS, Acting P.J.

October 30, 2008

C051777 THE PEOPLE v. RATTANAK KAK (Not For Publication)

The convictions for counts 5 and 8 are reversed... As modified, the judgment is affirmed. The trial court is directed to amend the abstract of judgment to reflect the modifications and to forward a certified copy of the amended abstract to the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation.

SCOTLAND, P.J.

We Concur: Hull, J.

Butz, J.

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C054685 THE PEOPLE v.

(Not For Publication)

RODERICK BRIAN RANDALL

The judgment is affirmed.

MORRISON, J.

We Concur: Davis, Acting P.J.

Cantil-Sakauye, J.

C056422 CONSULTING ENGINEERS AND LAND

(Certified For Publication)

SURVEYORS OF CALIFORNIA et al. v.

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF

TRANSPORTATION et al.; PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS IN CALIFORNIA GOVERNMENT

The judgment is modified to invalidate as unconstitutional the second and third sentences of section 20209.26 (a) (2), the first sentence of section 20209.32 (b), and section 20209.34. As modified, the judgment is affirmed. This court's prior order staying the trial court's "order re plaintiffs' motion for judgment on the pleadings" is vacated upon the finality of this opinion. PECG shall reimburse CELSOC for its costs on appeal. (Cal. Rules of Court, rule 8.278 (a) (1).)

SCOTLAND, P.J.

We Concur: Davis, J.

Cantil-Sakauye, J.

C056525 LINDERMANN v. VASQUEZ

(Not For Publication)

The judgment is affirmed. Lindermann shall reimburse Vasquez for her costs on appeal. (Cal. Rules of Court, rule 8.278 (a) .)

SCOTLAND, P.J.

We Concur: Raye, J.

Cantil-Sakauve, J.

October 31, 2008

C054261 SHULL v. SHAW, as California Highway

(Not For Publication)

Patrol Officer, etc., et al.

The judgment is affirmed. Shull shall pay the CHP's costs of this appeal.

(Cal. Rules of Court, rule 8.278 (a) (2) .)

MORRISON, J.

We Concur: Blease, Acting P.J.

Hull, J.